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In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed June 12, 2006, the associated issue fee and publication fee accompanies this submission.

Enclosed is a Supplemental Declaration executed by Gerhard GUMPOLTSBERGER and Michael EBENHOCH, the inventors of this case. No fee is believed payable with respect to the Supplemental Declaration and it is respectfully requested that this document be made of record in the above referenced application.

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